

Senate Resolution 831

By: Senator Whitehead, Sr. of the 24th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending and recognizing the Lincoln County High School Red Devils football team for
2 winning the 2005 Class A State Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Red Devils started the season with a record of 0-3, little star talent, and only
4 four returning starters; and

5 WHEREAS, despite their tough start, the Red Devils unified as a team and went on a run that
6 will not soon be forgotten in the Lincolnton community; and

7 WHEREAS, on the night of the state championship game at Buddy Bufford Field in Lincoln
8 County, the Red Devils through their gritty style and teamwork capped off the most unlikely
9 of seasons with a 25-0 victory over Washington-Wilkes High School for the Class A Georgia
10 State Championship; and

11 WHEREAS, the incredible run by the Lincoln County Red Devils marks the first time in at
12 least 25 years that the Class A champion defeated each of its playoff opponents by at least
13 20 points; and

14 WHEREAS, the Red Devils championship in 2005 marks the thirteenth state championship
15 for Lincoln County High School, continuing the great tradition of high school football in
16 Lincolnton.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 commend and recognize the great achievement by the Lincoln County High School Red
19 Devils.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Lincoln County High School.